

Cherished Teddies™

Christmas Wreath



FREE CHART – PLEASE TAKE ONE

Ref #9057

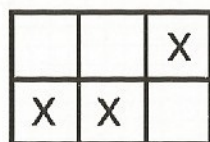

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CROSS-STITCH INSTRUCTIONS

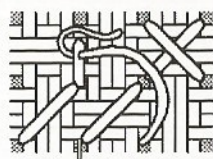
FULL CROSS-STITCH

Be sure that all of your stitches lie in the same direction. Bottom stitches should lie from bottom left to upper right and top stitches from bottom right to upper left. Work the stitches from the bottom to the top of the stitch, from left to right, then cross them as you work from right to left, still coming up at the bottom of each stitch and going down at the top.

Cross-stitches
on chart:



Cross-stitches
on fabric:



1/4 STITCH

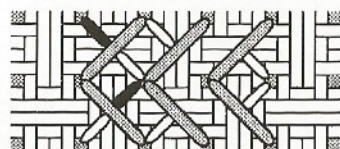
Helpful Hints:

1. Stitch from corner to center using the color indicated by the symbol.
2. Backstitch last in the color indicated in the instructions.

1/4 stitches on chart:



1/4 stitches on fabric:



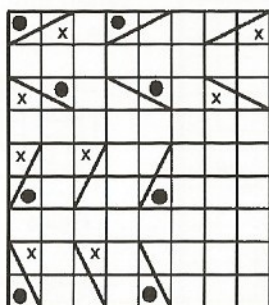
Special Note: If there are *NO* backstitch instructions given, stitch the backstitch line in the color most predominant in that area of the design.

3/4 STITCH

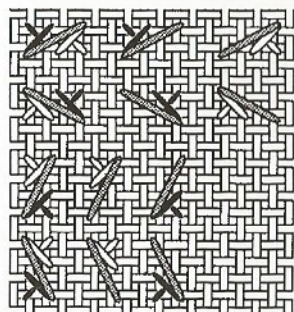
Helpful Hints:

1. Add backstitch last in the color indicated in the instructions.
2. If the symbols are different on either side of the backstitch or there is a symbol on just one side of the backstitch, this will indicate that 3/4 stitches should be done in the color indicated by the symbol, as shown at right.

3/4 stitches on chart:



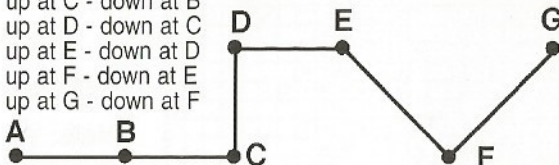
3/4 stitches on fabric:



BACKSTITCHING INSTRUCTIONS

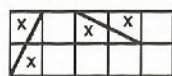
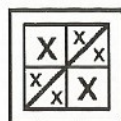
Backstitching (BS) is a part of some designs as outline or as lettering. The purpose of the backstitch is to form a continuous line with each stitch touching. It may travel in any direction.

up at B - down at A
up at C - down at B
up at D - down at C
up at E - down at D
up at F - down at E
up at G - down at F



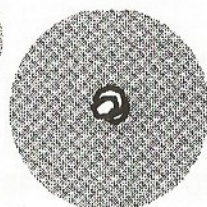
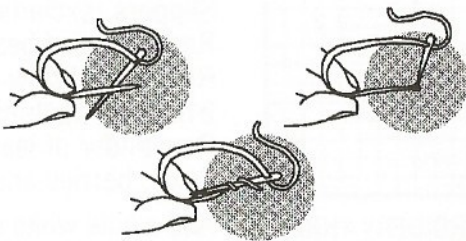
SYMBOL WITH BACKSTITCH

When there is a backstitch over one or two squares and the symbol is the same on either side of the backstitch, make a full cross stitch in that square. Add the backstitch last in the color indicated in the instructions.



FRENCH KNOT

Using one strand of Floss, bring the needle up where indicated on the chart by a dot where the chart lines intersect. Wrap the needle 2 times with the Floss. Hold the Floss tightly as you insert the needle back into the fabric near the same place. Pull through to form a small knot on top of the fabric.



Cross Stitch Instructions courtesy of Designs by Gloria & Pat, Inc.



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Our model was stitched on 14-count Antique White Aida using 2 strands of DMC Embroidery Floss for all cross-stitch and 1 strand for all backstitch. A Size 24 or Size 26 Tapestry Needle is recommended.

Design Area: 96 stitches wide x 94 stitches high

Evenweave Fabric	Design Size	Size to Cut Fabric
11-count Aida	83/4" x 85/8"	15" x 15"
14-count Aida	67/8" x 63/4"	13" x 13"
16-count Aida	6" x 57/8"	12" x 12"
18-count Aida	53/8" x 51/4"	11 1/2" x 11 1/2"
22-count Aida (Hardanger)	43/8" x 43/8"	10 1/2" x 10 1/2"
26-count Linen (over 2 threads)	7 1/2" x 7 1/4"	13 1/2" x 13 1/2"
28-count Linen (over 2 threads)	67/8" x 63/4"	13" x 13"
32-count Linen (over 2 threads)	6" x 57/8"	12" x 12"

When stitching bells and berries make each half-stitch twice. See diagrams below.



Figure 1

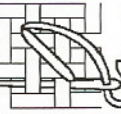


Figure 2



Figure 3



Figure 4



Figure 5

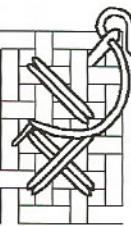


Figure 6

BACKSTITCHING INSTRUCTIONS

Note: Wavy lines (~~~~) on chart indicate regular backstitch in a different color.

Use **one** strand to work all Backstitch (unless otherwise indicated) in order and colors as follows:

- Eyes, nose and mouth in 938.
- Outside of bells in Light Gold Metallic.
- Inside of bells in 433.
- Leaves on hat (excluding ~~~~) in 909.
- Hat (excluding ~~~~) in 304.
- Head (including ~~~~) in 433.
- Slippers (excluding holly leaves) in 815.
- Remainder of bear in 433.
- Ribbon and bow (excluding ~~~~) in 815.
- 910 holly (including ~~~~) in 3818.
- Remainder of leaves and other greenery in 909.
- Scarf, berries and hearts in 815.

Add a little white stitch to eyes with 2 strands where marked 0. Bells – make French knots in 433.

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Color No.	Color Description	Color No.	Color Description	Color No.	Color Description
White	White	801	Dark Coffee Brown	304	Medium Red
321	Red	910	Light Emerald Green	433	Medium Brown
353	Peach	912	Medium Nile Green	815	Medium Garnet
436	Tan	913	Ultra Dark Coffee Brown	909	Very Dark Emerald Green
666	Bright Red	938	Ultra Very Light Terra Cotta	3818	Ultra Dark Emerald Green
729	Medium Old Gold	3779			
739	Ultra Very Light Tan				

BACKSTITCH

DMC METALLIC EMBROIDERY THREAD